# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HOME AFFAIRS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1937
ANSWERED ON:04.03.2003
ARMS AND AMMUNITIONS WITH DELHI POLICE
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**Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether `Malkhanas` of Delhi Police are overflowing with the scaled arms and ammunitions including RDX;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the steps taken by the Government to ensure the safety of these arms and ammunitions;

(d) whether any policy or rules have been laid down by the Government for the disposal of destroying the confiscated weapons; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERS( PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI HARIN PATHAK)

(a): No, Sir.

(b): Does not arise.

(c): The `malkhanas` are guarded on round-the-clock basis.

(d) & (e): Yes, Sir. The State Government and Union Territory Administrations have been advised to centrally destroy such seized fire-arms and ammunition as are obsolete or unserviceable and maintain a register in the prescribed format for this purpose. The proportion in which the serviceable fire-arms of non-prohibited category shall be allotted to various categories of eligible persons has also been prescribed.